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## HONEY MARKET FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2014 IN VOLUMES OF 10,000 POUNDS OR GREATER UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Prices paid to beekeepers for extracted, unprocessed honey in major producing states by packers, handlers & other large users, cents per pound, f.o.b. or delivered nearby, containers exchanged or returned, prompt delivery & payment unless otherwise stated.

- REPORT INCLUDES BOTH NEW AND OLD CROP HONEY -

(# Some in Small Lot --- +Some delayed payments or previous commitment)

			Wildflower	Extra Light Amber	\$1.96	
CALIFORNIA			Wildflower	Light Amber	\$1.84	
Alfalfa	White	\$1.98	MISSISSIPPI			
Alfalfa	Extra Light Amber	\$1.95	Wildflower	Extra Light Amber	\$1.96	
Alfalfa	Light Amber	\$1.75	Wildflower	Light Amber	\$1.85 -	\$1.92
Avocado	Amber	\$1.65	MONTANA			
Cotton	Light Amber	\$1.83	Alfalfa	White	\$2.06	
Orange Blossom	White	\$2.15 - \$2.25	Clover	White	\$2.06 -	\$2.11
Sage	Extra Light Amber	\$1.95	NEBRASKA			
Valley	Extra Light Amber	\$2.04	Alfalfa	White	\$2.06	
Western	Extra Light Amber	\$2.11	Clover	Extra Light Amber	\$1.96	
DAKOTA			OKLAHOMA			
Alfalfa	White	\$2.06 - \$2.14	Canola	White	\$2.06	
Alfalfa	Extra Light Amber	\$2.14	TEXAS			
Canola	White	\$2.06	Tallow	Extra Light Amber	\$1.96	
Canola	Extra Light Amber	\$1.99	Tallow	Light Amber	\$1.85 -	\$1.96
Clover	White	\$2.06 - \$2.13				
Clover	Extra Light Amber	\$2.01				
Western	White	\$2.11	Prices paid to importers for l			led,
Western	Extra Light Amber	\$2.11	cents per pound, ex-dock or	point of entry unless otl	nerwise stated.	
Tallow	Light Amber	\$1.60	ARGENTINA			
FLORIDA			Mixed Flower	White		\$2.09
Gallberry	Extra Light Amber	\$2.15	Mixed Flower	Extra Light		\$2.09
Gallberry	Light Amber	\$1.83 - \$2.15	Mixed Flower	Light Amber	\$1.83 -	\$2.09
Palmetto	Extra Light Amber	\$2.20	BRAZIL			
Mixed Flower	Light Amber	\$1.60	ORGANIC	Extra Light		\$2.04
Orange Blossom	White	\$2.20	ORGANIC	Light Amber		\$2.02
Tallow	Light Amber	\$1.60	ORGANIC	Amber	\$1.94	
Tupelo	Extra White	\$4.00	INDIA	77.71.1.	<b>01.71</b>	<b>#1</b> 00
Wildflower	Extra Light Amber	\$2.10	Mixed Flower	White		\$1.80
Wildflower	Light Amber	\$1.82 - \$2.00	Mixed Flower	Extra Light		\$1.72
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Wildflower	Light Amber	\$1.85	Mustard	Extra Light	\$1.44 -	\$1.76
Wildflower	Amber	\$1.80	VIETNAM	T to La A and an	¢1 22	¢1 40
LOUISIANA			Mixed Flowers	Light Amber		\$1.42
Tallow	Light Amber	\$1.85	Mixed Flowers	Amber	\$1.38	
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### COLONY, HONEY PLANT AND MARKET CONDITIONS DURING JULY, 2014

APPALACHIAN DISTRICT (MD, PA, VA, WV): Colonies are doing moderately well in some parts of the District; however, in other parts, beekeepers are reporting a high percentage of failed queens. Re-queening of colonies has also not been real successful and colonies are dwindling. Temperatures for the month have been five to ten degrees below normal with lower than normal humidity. By the end of the month, topsoil levels were dry despite scattered showers and thunderstorms. Honey production has been fairly light to moderate depending on colony. July nectar sources include mostly wildflowers such as clover, sumac, joe pye weed and butterfly weed.

ALABAMA: July has been a fairly typical month for Alabama, although there was a nice break from the humid weather the last few days at the end of the month. Most beekeepers have already pulled their surplus honey. Most of the beekeepers statewide have reported that production was about average or slightly above. Several beekeepers have noted that their honey seems to taste a little stronger and better this year than in previous years. Bees are still bringing in pollen and a little nectar from random sources (wildflowers mainly). They have had good foraging weather lately to look for whatever they can find. Most of the beekeepers are not having to supplemental feed at the present time.

Swarming seemed to be much heavier than normal, and the small hive beetle populations have been significantly lower so far. Most of the hobbyists have them well under control. AFB and EFB have tapered off a little since May and June. Varroa is starting to be a problem for those that haven't treated in the last couple of years, but for those that have strong management practices they are not problematic at this time.

ARIZONA: Temperatures in Arizona fluctuated between above normal levels and below normal levels for the entire month of July. The high temperature for the month was recorded in Bullhead City at 118 degrees Fahrenheit; while the low temperature for the month in Arizona was 40 degrees Fahrenheit in Betatakin.

Arizona received much needed rain throughout the month, although drought conditions still persist in many areas. Out of the 39 reporting stations, 35 are at below normal precipitation levels for the year, with 32 stations at over 20 percent below normal precipitation levels. The weekly number of stations reporting precipitation ranged from 26 to 39 of the 39 stations during the month of July in Arizona.

The main nectar and pollen sources for bees in the state during the first part of July were Cantaloupes, honeydews and mixed and mixedlaneous melons; while for the entire month leading sources were watermelons, alfalfa, cotton and various desert plant bloom.

Demand for honey was good.

ARKANSAS: Pollen and nectar sources received during July were from tomato plants, trees, filed crops and wild flowers. Bees are in generally good condition. Weather conditions have seen about normal temperatures with adequate rainfall. Supply and demand is good.

CALIFORNIA: July began with a persistent high pressure ridge; temperatures across the Central Valley were hot, with triple digit high temperatures being common across the Central Valley. Inland sections of the southern part of the State were also warm and the southeastern deserts were intensely hot. Early in the month a subtle shift in the upper air patterns allowed monsoonal moisture to stream up from Mexico and spread into the southeastern portion of the State, resulting in scattered thunderstorm activity across the deserts and mountains of that region. Some of these storms produced enough rain to trigger flash floods in some locations. Aside from these desert storms and a few isolated mountain storms, no other precipitation was reported in the State. 100+ high temperatures continued all through the week in the Northern Sacramento and Southern San Joaquin Valleys. Generally, coastal regions enjoyed cooler weather as cool marine air provided some relief from the interior's heat. An unusual weather pattern for summer developed across the State mid-month. High pressure aloft over the State gradually weakened and monsoonal moisture streaming northward from Mexico began to make its way into the State. This shift in the weather pattern resulted in increasing cloud cover across the southeastern regions of the State, eventually moving up the Sierra Nevada Crest. Scattered showers and thunderstorms began to develop in the deserts and over the mountains. A weather disturbance then brushed the State increasing onshore flow and spreading scattered showers and thunderstorms across the northern portion of the State and reaching the Coastal Mountains. Significant rainfall was confined to mountain areas, with over an inch and a half falling near Yosemite. Light amounts did manage to reach the Central Valley by the weekend, with Sacramento receiving measurable rain on Sunday, which is very rare for July. Temperatures during were above normal at the start, but increased cloud cover and on shower flow brought cooler temperatures across much of the State. As the month of July came to a close, the State was generally dry and warm, although monsoonal moisture lead to showers spreading across the southern part of the State; precipitation amounts were not significant. Temperatures across the north were a little below normal; in the south, temperatures were generally near or a little above normal.

The water situation in California is bleak. The current drought — which rivals the terrible drought of the late 1970s — has been 3 years in the making, as three successive winter wet seasons went by with below-normal rainfall. The paltry snowpack this year really intensified matters, and the persistent pattern of excessive heat in the West has lead to heavy irrigation demands, deteriorating rangeland and pasture conditions, and higher evaporation rates. Reservoir storage in the state currently sits at about 60 percent of its normal level, above the record low of 41 percent set in 1977, but short about a year's worth of reservoir storage. That shortfall is the result of the abysmal rains over the past 3 years: from July 1, 2011, to June 30, 2014, statewide precipitation averaged 45.05 inches, which was a record low. There are reports of some wells going dry this year, and some ranchers/farmers, especially in the Central and Southern San Joaquin Valley, are drilling deeper than normal to find groundwater.

In the coastal regions of California, beekeepers are beginning to feed supplemental pollen substitutes and are trucking water for the thirsty bees. The bees, themselves, are in the best shape they have been in quite a few years, but no honey flow to make use of them, just sugar syrup. The little bit of wildflower honey that was produced sells for \$2.50 per pound.

In the San Joaquin Valley, the bees are doing fairly well. Beekeepers have just finished pollinating alfalfa seed and have moved on to alfalfa hay to finish the season. The honey crop has been relatively good so far this year even with the draught. The bees are being fed pollen patties, which has helped keep the bees in good shape. Alfalfa and Cotton are about it for food and there is not much tarweed in the hills this year. Honey prices are up 10 to 20 cents over last year. Beekeepers will start medicating and treating for mites in a few weeks.

The situation In Southern California continues to be bleak, with no honey production and heavy robbing pressure in the most of Southern California. Outside of the irrigated areas, all beekeepers are feeding and need to continue to feed regularly. Pollen flows are also drying up, so this means that pollen substitute is necessary as well. Most commercial beekeepers in the Imperial Valley are wrapping up alfalfa pollination, and are harvesting whatever alfalfa honey was made. Preliminary estimates of the alfalfa crop is somewhat below last year's production. This is due to both water constraints and overall greater bee competition with a larger than normal number of colonies moved into the area. Beekeepers are also beginning to treat and medicate colonies once the crop has been pulled. Summer pollination prices have been in the \$50 range.

Bees were active in sunflower and seed alfalfa fields throughout the state. Where available, bees were feeding on pumpkins, roses, wild mustard, California poppies, wild radish, marigolds, agastache, borage, pennyroyal, dandelions, thyme and peppers.

COLORADO: Temperatures were warmer than normal across Colorado during July except in the Northwest part of the State where temperatures were below normal. Precipitation was slightly below normal across the entire State during the same period according to the National Weather Service with the exception of above normal precipitation in the South Central area around Alamosa and Colorado Springs. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor, the North and Mid-Central part of the State remains near normal on precipitation. There continues to be severe to extreme drought in the Southeastern area of

Colorado. Most other Southern areas of the State continue to be abnormally dry to moderate in drought conditions. According to commercial beekeepers, 2014 is looking at this point to be a good year in Colorado for honey production.

During the month of July bees in Colorado were living the high life foraging on alfalfa, clover, and sunflowers. One commercial beekeeper noted that it has been many years since he has seen as many flights going in and out of the hive as what he has seen this summer. There was a good flow of honey thanks to ideal weather and a good supply of nectar from the above mentioned foraging plants. One of the constant challenges for beekeepers with bees foraging on alfalfa fields is to convince landowners to let the alfalfa crop remain in the field long enough so bees can utilize the available bloom. With the abundance of foraging plants, bees are producing enough honey stores for themselves without the need for supplemental feeding during the month of July. Beekeepers in Colorado were starting to extract some new crop honey by the late part of July, but due to the late spring cool weather the delay will push some honey extraction into the middle of August. As the honey is extracted from the honey comb, commercial beekeepers are able in most cases to save the comb after removing the wax cap and honey. Beekeepers have indicated that they can in some cases reuse the honey combs up to 9 years, if well kept. This allows bees to spend more time making honey and less in building comb. It also is a way for the beekeepers to ultimately become more profitable.

Good brood patterns continue to be exhibited in Colorado bee hives this summer. One beekeeper stated that it was the best brood patterns he has consistently seen in the last 5 to 6 years. Many large commercial beekeepers try to check in on their various locations about every 10 days. By using this schedule they are able to keep up with the maintenance issues with the hives. The mite population continues to be under control at this point of time in Colorado bees. Summer losses of bees seem to be running about normal without any major issues. Varroa mites continue to be at lower levels than beekeepers have seen for the last few years. Commercial bees in Colorado continue to look healthy and are in good shape to finish the summer on a high note

Currently, retail and wholesale demand for honey exceeds the supply in Colorado. Demand will continue to exceed the supply until the new crop honey becomes available. Beekeepers are receiving calls for wholesale honey that is just not available yet. At this point, there have not been any new documented prices yet in Colorado for the 2014 honey crop. Some beekeepers are anticipating slightly lower wholesale prices for white honey, but the jury is still out and will depend highly upon how honey production does in the rest of the United States.

FLORIDA: July was hot and rainy in most areas. Several areas saw rainfall totals of over 10-12 inches during a two-three day period of time. These high rainfall totals were not caused by a tropical system, but were the result of heavy thunderstorms. The almost daily rains, washed away much of the pollen, and resulted in supplemental feeding being necessary. Bee health was considered to be very good. Some bees were beginning to return from the Northern states and beekeepers had begun rebuilding hive numbers in anticipation of melaleuca (Paper Bark Tea Tree) and Brazilian Pepper honey production. The darker honey is becoming more popular with consumers and is now priced similarly to lighter (traditionally the most expensive) honey. Most of the rest of the bees will return in August or early September in time for the Brazilian Pepper season, expected to start in the middle of September. There were few sources of food for the bees except for wildflowers, sporadic melaleuca, and near swamps, Goldenrod. Supplies of honey continue to be very light with very good demand, resulting in continued high prices for honey. Tupelo honey sales above \$5.00 were occasionally reported, as Tupelo honey production was considered to be very light this year. New beekeepers continued to be registered at the rate of 10-15 per week, which confirms high interest in Florida honey production.

GEORGIA: Reports vary around the state, depending where the hives are located. Most of the bees are reported to be in good shape. Some beekeepers have lost queens and a few hives but the majority have been steadfast on management and are reporting fewer losses this year. A little robbing was reported and some swarming. Treatments vary depending on how stringent the managing practices were carried out previously. There were few reports of hive beetles showing up and some mites, with some hives having a little Nosema showing up.

Most of the honey has been pulled and by mid-July the first of the Sourwood was pulled. An average year reported so far, but far less than the bumper crop that was hoped for earlier in the year. Many of the crops were late blooming due to previous weather related conditions. The cotton bloom has varied around the state with some areas having stronger stages of growth and others having been planted very late and not growing so well at this time. The Golden Rod has been affected by the weather, but should be okay for the bees to collect from. Lots of Kudzu, Crepe Myrtle and some wildflowers available. Weather has been both hot and cool and rain mostly shown up in the Central and Southern areas of the state. Moisture content has been somewhat a problem in some areas as high humidity was reported statewide. Humidifiers and fans were needed in many areas.

Demand is still very strong and prices remain about steady. \$6 wholesale \$10 retail wildflower, \$9 wholesale \$12 retail sourwood.

IDAHO: Temperatures were above normal over the entire State of Idaho during the month of July according to the National Weather Service.

Precipitation was below normal across the entire State in the same period. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor, the Upper Panhandle area and a small area in Southeastern Idaho currently have normal moisture conditions. The rest of the State has drought conditions that vary from abnormally dry to severe. The worst drought conditions seem to be in the Southwestern and Central areas of the State.

During the month of July bees in Idaho were foraging on alfalfa, pasture and Dutch clovers. Most of the alfalfa fields utilized by beekeepers in Idaho are irrigated. One of the challenges for beekeepers on alfalfa fields is to convince landowners to let the alfalfa crop remain in the field long enough so bees can forage on the available bloom. During July bees were actively bringing back nectar to the hives for a good honey flow. With the abundance of foraging plants, bees are producing enough honey stores for themselves without the need for supplemental feeding during the month of July. Beekeepers in Idaho were starting to extract some new crop honey by the late part of July. As the honey is extracted from the honey comb, commercial beekeepers are able in most cases to save the comb after removing the wax cap and honey. Beekeepers have indicated that they can in some cases reuse the honey combs up to 9 years, if well kept. This allows bees to spend more time making honey and less in building comb. It also is a way for the beekeepers to ultimately become more profitable.

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ILLINOIS: Temperatures for the month of July were warmer with an adequate amount of moisture for the northern and southern part of the state while warm and somewhat dry for the central part of the state. Beekeepers report a good honey flow for the month of July and are very pleased with the health of their hives. Most beekeepers are busy harvesting honey as well as accessing the health of their bees, as well restructuring their hives. A few beekeepers report the late honey flow for the fall will be from the white Dutch clover, as many activities are taken place around the state, such as the state fair. Beekeepers report a need of more rain for the central part of the state as they prepare for the fall honey crop. Demand for honey is good at the retail and wholesale level. Prices are generally unchanged.

IOWA, KANSAS, MISSOURI, NEBRASKA: Cool and dry conditions were observed, as temperatures and precipitation were below normal across the states.

Mixed results of honey flow were being reported, depending upon locations. Some beekeepers attribute low honey flows due to the lack of normal bee build-ups. Some beekeepers experienced mite infestation in numerous package bees introduced. Beekeepers were busy pulling honey supers. Beekeepers have also expressed that there is an accelerated demand for raw unprocessed honey. Demand is great and prices are creeping up for domestic honey. Nectar and pollen sources are alfalfa, yellow clover, white sweet clover, Dutch clover, black locust and various ornamentals and wildflowers. State honey assoctiation and local bee clubs are preparing for their upcoming state fairs in which honey and honey products are displayed and sold.

INDIANA: Temperatures for the month of July were warm with a few cooler days toward the end of the month. Beekeepers report their bees in good to excellent condition as well as a good honey flow for the month of July. A few Beekeepers are very optimistic as they harvest and reconstruct their as they get their hives ready for the fall crop. They also report a good year for white Dutch and Black locust flowers, as well as a few other flowers, such as white Dutch. Demand for honey is good, while Prices are generally unchanged.

KENTUCKY: Depending on what part of the state the hives are located varying reports are noted with previous and current weather conditions creating sporadic sources of food for the bees. July has been fairly mild in some areas and others are dealing with the July dearth of hot dry weather, especially in the south central part of the state. The quality has been reported as good for the Locust and Poplar blooms in the central areas, while some of the other areas had noted that the Locust blooms were affected by the earlier freezing weather of April. However in those areas the Honeysuckle did well with the honey reported to be light, sweet and clear with moisture content okay. Any treatments needed for mites and beetles are usually done in the middle of July through August. Demand exceeds supply. Wildflower local honey \$6.25 lb wholesale.

LOUISIANA: Pollen and nectar sources received during July were from various trees and wild flowers. Colonies were in generally fair condition throughout the month. Weather conditions have been above normal for this time of year, above normal rainfall with much warmer temperatures. Supply and demand is good.

MICHIGAN: In southeastern Michigan, white and yellow sweet clovers are still producing nectar due to cooler temperatures and adequate moisture. The latter half of the month thistles, purple loosestrife, alfalfa, mountain mint and trefoil are also providing nectar sources at a time when there is normally a dearth period for bloom. There have been reports of queen failure with supercedure which sets back colonies 3-4 weeks. In north central Michigan, seasonal nectar-producing plants have been 2-3 weeks behind normal. Basswood has been an excellent source of nectar and pollen for honey bees this summer; knapweed (Star Thistle) began blooming in mid-July. The cooler than normal weather has significantly reduced honey production: the region needs at least two weeks of 80-85 degree days in order to have a profitable honey production year. Bulk wholesale honey prices have been mostly steady, with wholesale lots priced from \$2.25 - \$2.30 pound. Beekeepers in Central Michigan have generally reported a good summer honey crop due in part to timely rains and moderating temperatures. The basswood flow was excellent and sweet yellow and white clover has enjoyed an extended bloom period, along with assorted wildflowers and nettles. Bees have been able to take advantage of alfalfa foraging prior to a slightly delayed second cutting. There have been reports of greater than normal late swarms, compared to other years.

MINNESOTA: The temperatures were below normal across the State in July with the exception of the Northeast area around Duluth which had above normal temperatures during the same period. Precipitation in July was below normal across the State with the exception of above normal precipitation around International Falls, according to the National Weather Service. The U.S. Drought Monitor continues to show normal moisture condition across the State for the second straight month, despite a rather dry month of July. According to commercial beekeepers, 2014 is looking at this point to be a great year in Minnesota for honey production.

During the month of July bees in Minnesota were living the high life foraging on alfalfa, white and yellow sweet clover, a little red clover, Dutch clover and basswood trees. One commercial beekeeper noted that it has been many years since he has seen as many flights going in and out of the hives as what he has seen this summer. There was a good flow of honey thanks to ideal weather and a good supply of nectar from the above mentioned foraging plants. One of the constant challenges for beekeepers with bees foraging on alfalfa fields is to convince landowners to let the alfalfa crop remain in the field long enough so bees can utilize the available bloom. With the abundance of foraging plants, bees are producing enough honey stores for themselves without the need for supplemental feeding during the month of July. Beekeepers in Minnesota were starting to extract some new crop honey in the late part of July. As the honey is extracted from the honey comb, commercial beekeepers are able in most cases to save the comb after removing the wax cap and honey. Beekeepers have indicated that they can in some cases reuse the honey combs up to 9 years, if well kept. This allows bees to spend more time making honey and less in building comb. It also is a way for the beekeepers to ultimately become more profitable.

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MISSISSIPPI: Rain seemed to hamper pulling of the honey for some areas especially the central and northern areas, while the southern areas seemed to be better and not affected as much with weather. Quality of honey is good and prices are about steady. The beekeepers have reported that the bees appear to be in good shape heading into the summer months and good management practices earlier in the year have paid off. Most areas are waiting for the Golden Rod to start coming in and plenty of wildflowers are available now for pulling in late September. Demand exceeds supply. Wildflower priced at \$110.00 for a case of 12 quarts. Approximately \$9.15 qt.

MONTANA: No report issued.

NEW ENGLAND: New England weather in July for the most part had average temperatures generally combined with normal levels of humidity such that overall, this month's weather was idyllic; blue skies, low wind, near perfect temperatures and average temperatures were generally normal with warm to hot days and mild to warm nights. Intermittent rain showers produced a sufficient amount of moisture for nectar and pollen producing plants thus creating ample topsoil levels across most of the region. The current conditions are ideal for our seasonal plant growth hence generating ample pollen and nectar flow. These climatic conditions allow plant blossoms to secrete at peak levels thus accelerating plant growth. Most beekeepers have reported witnessing this year the perfect timing and progression of early summer blooming ornamentals attesting to by many seasonal arborists. This perfect timing means that there will be a nice steady flow of pollen and nectar and should add up to one of the best summer seasons on record. These conditions should translate to the added bonus of abundant comb honey without the headaches of wax robbing. Additionally, it points to being, for most keepers, an excellent honey crop this year.

Most keepers are reporting a quick summer buildup of good capped brood patterns, solid foundations of second brood boxes with double supers quickly filled with honey. Some keepers advise to keep sugar feedings going in order to strengthen nectar buildup especially with nucleus and newly created hives and to also add two supers at a time instead of a single one for established hives. Honey production reported to me by fellow beekeepers seems to be very strong in quantity and quality and looks to be exceptional with most very light in color with what is currently being harvested. Beekeepers are checking their colonies and adding supers particularly because of the intense run. Beekeepers were splitting their colonies as populations had doubled in size. Regarding brood comb, many beekeepers report that plastic frames and foundations have exhibited tube style patterns and bees set themselves differently according to white or black plastic with a preference for black being better accepted by the bees. Keepers report that bees are primed for comb building and expansion at this time of the year. Comb renewal is part of ensuring a healthy environment for the bees. Referring old comb to a solar wax smelter (or other device) removes the contamination from the hive and relives that particular stress on bees. All U.S. States require beekeepers to use removable frames to allow bee inspectors to check the brood for disease.

Bees love July as the weather has been perfect for foraging. It is special how the different hives change their brood rearing with the pollen and nectar flows as some queens keep cranking out eggs while others slowdown, which has much to do with the genetics of the bees. Reportedly, some poor laying queens have had to be replaced however, new queen acceptance has been good. At this time of the year in the month of July, many bees will constantly feed from the bottom super so that the bottom box is always in a state of being eaten, being filled, being eaten and filled. Keeper's advice to moving the fuller boxes up and put the lesser filled supers on the bottom so that when it's time to extract, the top boxes will be full. Purportedly, Carniolan bees have been fast builders, good producers, and gentle and are very winter hardy.

The main and most exceptionally productive pollen and nectar sources have been black locust (Robinia pseudo acacia), white Dutch clover (trifolium repens), multiflora rose, catalpa, smooth and shiny sumac, autumn olive (elaeagnus umbellate), white clover (which produces brown pollen and is sometimes referred to as northern chocolate) and yellow sweet clover (pollen color is yellow to dark yellow), and various flowering trees especially tulip and Linden (basswood-Tilia Americana- which offers yellow to light orange pollen), chickweed (yellowish pollen), and meadow sweet (light olive colored pollen), as well as staghorn sumac (Rhus typhina) which had some good days, but not as heavy of a flow like some years. Additional forging sources regionally blooming at this time are; holly, cinquefoil, honey suckle, vetch, wild rose, ibota, ailanthus, calit privets and milkweed. Purportedly there is a lot of light tan colored Queen Anne's lace (Daucus carota) pollen filling up the pollen traps. Reportedly providing excellent bloom was berry crops especially strawberries and additionally blackberry (Rubus spp.), which was evident by the gray pollen; others are elderberry and cranberry. Vegetable crops were showing small flowers but good bloom was squash and pumpkins.

Reportedly so far there have been very few major pest problems. No American foul brood or pronounced tracheal infestations have been reported to date. However, with the advancing honey flow and brood buildup, New England will usually experience a heavy varroa mite problem. In this scenario, varroa mites can double their population in 3 weeks. Colony survival and next year's honey crop depends upon the summer treatment for varroa mites. However, keepers cannot use chemicals just prior to and during the honey flow, so the mites are free to rapidly produce. Even if the colony survives into the fall, the mites will weaken the fall brood so the colony is likely to die off in the winter. Keepers this month continue to check for diseases and at this time and if found will forego their honey harvest and will utilize Fumidil-B, apiguard, apistan, tenamycin or formic acid (mite – away two). Keepers recommend that one should rotate the chemicals used for treatment to reduce the chance of the mites building a resistance to one chemical. In New England tracheal and varroa mites are typically an issue in July and August. Overall colonies were reported to be in good to excellent condition and exceptionally healthy.

Farmers' markets have started and currently demand for honey is expected to pick up at near summers end with the advent of cooler weather and prices are expected to be slightly higher than last year. Prices quoted for retail 1 lb. bottled units were \$8.50 to \$10.50 mostly \$10.00, occasionally higher, and 1 Quart bottled units were \$18.00 to \$20.00 mostly \$19.50, occasionally higher, inclusive of all varieties; for food service operations, prices were firm with 5 gallon units at \$195.00 to \$240.00 mostly \$230.00 and occasionally lower for all raw and natural honey depending on variety and quality. In the Northeast overall, the wholesale natural and raw honey price has been around \$2.50 to \$2.80 per pound, mostly 2.75 per pound, by the 55 gallon barrel.

NEW YORK: Cooler, damp weather has limited honey yields in Western and Central New York. With the advent of the annual dearth experienced normally in August, some hives have shown some weight losses, due in part to a smaller than normal basswood flow in July. Beekeepers are hoping for a warm Indian summer and stellar goldenrod flow to help salvage a weak production year and provide adequate stores for the hive to sustain healthy colonies to winter on. Some beekeepers have been feeding hives due to the short crop. Local honey sales have trailed off for the usual summer period, with retail prices currently unchanged. Wholesale demand remains at strong levels.

NORTH CAROLINA: Temperatures in North Carolina were mostly below normal throughout July. Hurricane Arthur whipped through the State the first week of July dumping quite a bit of rain in the Coastal Plains region, but overall precipitation for the month was mostly normal. Statewide soil moisture levels averaged 4 percent very short, 19 percent short, 69.5 percent adequate, and 7.5 percent surplus the week ending July 26. The North Carolina Drought Management Advisory Council reported 31 counties as being abnormally dry.

Hives appeared to be healthy and, according to apiary inspectors, pest levels have been low, but it is important to note that going into August hive beetles and varroa mites have the potential to enter peak populations and beekeepers will have to continue to be diligent at checking hives in order to prevent losses. Most beekeepers have been satisfied with the honey crop thus far and harvests have been especially good in the Piedmont region. Bees could be seen working Sumac across the State. Sourwood and Basswood, Linden were available in the Mountain region. Various clovers (Ladino, White and Sweet) were available throughout the Mountain and Piedmont regions. Also, available in the Piedmont region were Aslike Clover and Heartsease, Smartweed. Demand for honey remains high and prices are expected to remain at a premium, especially at the retail level.

Commercial pollinator hives were either moved up north or placed in "recovery" as North Carolina spring and summer blooms came to an end.

NORTH & SOUTH DAKOTA: Most crops are well ahead of last year but behind normal. Bloom on forage crops is also ahead of last year but still a behind normal. Bees are working various floral sources including clovers and sunflowers. Alfalfa production continues ahead of last season also. Bee are generally looking good.

OHIO: Fortunately there was a great honey flow during the spring months as brood appears to be slowing down during the latter half of the month. Cooler temperatures have slowed drone activity and nectar flow and some beekeepers have reported an increase in mite activity; beekeepers should be vigilant now and treat hives and prepare for feeding. Summer flows to date have been lighter and hives are living on stores, which is certain to drive the domestic honey market higher in the coming months.

OKLAHOMA: Pollen and nectar sources received during July were wild flowers, trees and field crops. Condition of bees and colonies were generally good. Weather conditions have seen below normal temperatures for this time of year, and rainfall has been adequate. Supply is low whole demand is high.

OREGON: No report issued.

SOUTH CAROLINA: No report issued.

TENNESSEE: Most areas of the state have reported no major issues for July. In the mountainous areas the Sourwood blooms are winding down and a good supply and excellent quality is expected. Some of the middle north areas by the state line have had some weather related problems with light rains causing drought with heat affecting the volume and overall quality of the honey. Some are light on available nectar with the earlier severe weather having taken a toll on plants. Beekeepers are now preparing paperwork to be able to treat for Varroa mites while the small Hive Beetle has not been a major problem this year. Most beekeepers are reporting the bees and hives to be in good condition and shape heading into the remaining summer months ahead.

TEXAS: Pollen and nectar sources received during July were from wild flowers, trees, plants and crops. Conditions of the colonies were good throughout the month. Weather has been below normal temperatures for this time of year with very little rainfall. Supply and demand vary from point to point in this state. Demand continues to be strong for Texas varietal honey.

UTAH: Temperatures were above normal across the entire State of Utah during the month of July. This has become a trend during the last six months. Precipitation was also below normal across most of Utah during the same period, according to the National Weather Service. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor in July, as of late July, only the mountain area Northeast of Salt Lake City and an area around the East Central part of the State had normal moisture conditions. The rest of the State has drought conditions that ranged from abnormally dry to severe. The worst drought conditions are located in the Southwest and Northwest areas of the State and were expanding during July. According to commercial beekeepers, 2014 is looking at this point to be a better year in Utah than last year for honey production. One more rain could really help overall.

During the month of July bees in Utah were living on alfalfa and sapflowers. There was a flow of honey thanks to a good supply of nectar from the above mentioned foraging plants. One of the constant challenges for beekeepers with bees foraging on alfalfa fields is to convince landowners to let the alfalfa crop remain in the field long enough so bees can utilize the available bloom. With the abundance of foraging plants, most bees are producing enough honey stores for themselves without the need for supplemental feeding during the month of July. However there were some late divided hives that were still being fed supplemental corn syrup and pollen patties in July. This was to encourage and assist these hives to catch up with the earlier divides. Beekeepers in Utah were starting to extract some new crop honey by the late part of July. As the honey is extracted from the honey comb, commercial beekeepers are able in most cases to save the comb after removing the wax cap and honey. Beekeepers have indicated that they can in some cases reuse the honey combs up to 9 years, if well kept. This allows bees to spend more time making honey and less in building comb. It also is a way for the beekeepers to ultimately become more profitable. Commercial beekeepers in Utah hope to be done extracting honey by the middle of August. Then they can start their fall health treatments that cannot normally be applied during a honey flow.

Good brood patterns continue to be exhibited in Utah bee hives this summer for the most part. There is still some concern about some hives being great and others not very far from the great hives, being fairly poor. There do not seem to be any real good answers as to the disparity between the good and less desirable hives. Many large commercial beekeepers try to check in on their various locations about every 10 days. By using this schedule they are able to keep up with the maintenance issues with the hives. The mite population continues to be under control at this point of time in Utah bees. Summer losses of bees seem to be running about normal without any major issues. Varroa mites continue to be at lower levels than beekeepers have seen for the last few years. Commercial bees in Utah continue to look healthy for the most part and are in good shape to finish the summer on a high note. Currently, retail and wholesale demand for honey exceeds the supply in Utah. Demand will continue to exceed the supply until more of the new crop honey becomes available. At this point, there have not been any new documented prices yet in Utah for the 2014 honey crop. Some beekeepers are anticipating wholesale prices between \$1.90 and \$2.20 per pound for white honey, but the jury is still out and will depend highly upon how honey production does in the rest of the United States.

WASHINGTON: Dry weather over much of the state is limiting non-irrigated forage. Shorter bloom times have reduced yields of various flowers such as with many of the berries. Overall honey production may be limited by lack of forage. Fires in many parts of the state are also affecting bee flights and forage. New crop fruit harvests have begun with a record volume of apples.

WISCONSIN: Temperatures for the month of July were reported as being warm to hot within the central and southern part of the state; while warm but not as warm in the northern part of the state. However Beekeepers channeled around the state report a very good to excellent honey flow for the month of July. A few Beekeepers report their bees in good to excellent condition as they feed on white Dutch clover as well as other foliage and storing honey within their supers, while most beekeepers are busy harvesting honey from the supers. Demand for honey is good at both retail and wholesale levels. Prices are generally unchanged.

U.S Exports of Honey By Country, Quantity, and Value

Paramata		Year to	Date	<b>June 2014</b>		
Barbados		-		Quantity	Value	
Barbados         6.578         39,094         898           Brazil         2,314         28,817         1,167           China         44,106         110,976         43,285           Costa Rica         457         2,770         0           Guatermala         305         3,406         0           Guyana         2,285         19,789         1,632           Hong Kong         5,268         26,382         958           Indonesia         297,082         881,370         133,503           Japan         226,069         1,015,812         20,662           Korea, South         156,019         825,493         4,236           Kuwait         265,412         646,862         925           Leeward-Windward Islands(*)         227         2,578         0           Libya         10,989         49,365         0           Malaysia         6,939         21,457         4,583           Mexico         1,062         5,113         1,062           Netherlands Antilles(*)         6,821         35,957         653           Pakistan         33,121         80,396         33,121           Saudi Arabia         26,237 <t< th=""><th></th><th></th><th>Dollars</th><th>Kilograms</th><th>Dollars</th></t<>			Dollars	Kilograms	Dollars	
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Philippines 362 2,631 362					2,631	

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Saudi Arabia	4,843	20,882	372	2,992
Singapore	1,549	14,292	0	0
Taiwan	65,289	120,418	0	0
Trinidad and Tobago	136	3,000	0	0
United Arab Emirates	180	5,429	0	0
United Kingdom	820	13,892	0	0
Yemen(*)	2,266	12,500	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	2,479,660	8,443,788	391,197	1,196,882

<b>U.S Imports of Honey</b>	By Country,	<b>Ouantity</b> , and Value
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U.S Imports of Honey	By Country,	Quantity, a	and Value	I		
	Year to Date			June 2014		
	Quantity	Value	CIF Value	Quantity	Value	CIF Value
	Kilograms	Dollars	Dollars	Kilograms	Dollars	Dollars
WHITE HONEY – NOT PACKAGED FOR RETAI	I SAIF					
Argentina	4,062,405	15,302,885	15,655,071	852,144	3,338,887	3,424,540
Brazil	715,189	2,827,733	2,916,671	94,322	370,530	376,938
Canada	2,351,868	11,174,022	11,200,617	211,257	1,018,149	1,020,749
Chile	37,689	139,449	143,449	0	0	0
Egypt	2,803	9,750	10,154	0	0	0
France(*)	300	3,535	3,693	0	0	0
Hungary	248	2,123	2,243	0	0	0
India	4,114,800	12,832,005	13,349,279	470,100	1,494,411	1,546,072
Israel(*)	1,022	6,677	6,937	0	0	0
Italy(*)	17,520	130,071	135,689	17,306	127,751	130,569
Mexico	790,212	3,177,885	3,209,341	254,150	1,036,501	1,047,026
Switzerland(*)	21,488	94,469	97,626	0	0	0
Taiwan	78,082	142,966	154,321	0	0	0
Ukraine	19,140	56,965	57,465	0	0	0
United Kingdom	1,411	15,679	16,243	0	0	0
Uruguay	322,814	1,224,182	1,231,108	0	0	0
Vietnam	19,500	50,700	53,315	0	0	0
EXTRA LIGHT AMBER HONEY – NOT PACKAG						
Argentina	15,886,283	61,106,991	63,190,005		, ,	13,886,571
Brazil	1,260,645	4,612,792	4,769,280	247,215	919,889	951,094

Argentina	15,886,283	61,106,991	63,190,005	3,375,834	13,450,253	13,886,571
Brazil	1,260,645	4,612,792	4,769,280	247,215	919,889	951,094
Canada	88,296	504,127	507,096	26,870	135,601	136,101
Denmark(*)	628	5,883	6,785	0	0	0
France(*)	1,078	5,424	5,460	0	0	0
India	4,530,795	13,263,742	13,830,127	932,700	2,780,156	2,895,076
Italy(*)	988	29,310	31,603	0	0	0
Mexico	2,526,558	10,001,402	10,108,327	679,999	2,726,295	2,751,193
Pakistan	152,000	404,320	431,820	0	0	0
Poland	840	6,048	6,299	840	6,048	6,299
Taiwan	75,980	172,898	185,498	0	0	0
Thailand	402,600	961,230	968,486	108,600	261,630	262,350
Ukraine	1,726,889	4,676,746	4,845,075	171,847	445,403	464,404
Uruguay	1,352,580	4,975,299	5,044,454	319,232	1,221,331	1,232,724
Vietnam	690,960	1,641,623	1,737,471	56,400	139,872	149,092

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Argentina	2,896,437	11,411,123	12,055,996	860,728	3,500,214	3,698,067
Australia(*)	2,157	29,481	29,924	0	0	0
Austria	42,024	288,142	305,718	5,228	48,703	51,903
Brazil	3,470,640	12,615,894	13,207,345	867,187	3,322,854	3,430,510
Burma	72,270	171,197	177,197	54,000	127,440	130,940
Canada	18,671	89,381	90,133	0	0	0
Denmark(*)	734	3,888	4,486	0	0	0
Dominican Republic	270,434	762,174	785,237	59,355	179,099	184,571
Ecuador	679	3,120	3,729	0	0	0
Germany(*)	48,726	295,576	306,057	0	0	0
Hong Kong	10,260	67,901	69,108	6,156	41,040	41,748
India	1,790,310	5,023,227	5,278,287	255,840	751,268	791,373
Italy(*)	4,531	77,239	81,391	635	11,216	11,501
Latvia	76,560	244,992	250,272	0	0	0
Malaysia	161,820	364,095	381,713	0	0	0
Mexico	443,630	1,580,076	1,595,537	128,143	485,030	488,724
Moldova	3,459	5,718	5,719	0	0	0
New Zealand(*)	13,365	694,136	698,776	0	0	0
Pakistan	23,416	66,901	72,036	2,868	10,634	11,697
Poland	4,021	14,296	15,169	0	0	0
Romania	2,112	10,837	12,666	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	2,060	2,800	3,193	0	0	0
Spain	11,980	107,645	109,392	1,704	16,370	16,565
Taiwan	77,160	179,460	224,270	38,280	84,216	124,806
Thailand	638,406	1,555,775	1,619,665	167,406	407,730	424,431
Turkey	880,923	2,363,602	2,606,242	35,482	111,360	122,360
Ukraine	402,881	1,157,860	1,211,667	19,140	54,071	56,571
United Kingdom	3,000	14,933	15,544	0	0	0
Uruguay	1,965,962	6,792,332	6,891,046	542,960	2,070,626	2,109,688
Vietnam	14,713,871	37,606,879	39,495,208	4,121,792	10,611,214	11,081,421
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NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED OR INDICATE Albania	<b>D</b> 289	2,640	2,965	0	0	0
	20,653	16,617				16,736
Argentina			20,937	20,303	13,536	
Australia(*) Brazil	1,436 23,064	19,429 97,527	19,929 106,164	0	0	0
Cameroon	18,840	41,448	43,948	18,840	41,448	
	2,850	31,223	31,488	2,297	20,705	43,948 20,905
Canada Chile	1,554	15,840	16,290	2,297	20,703	20,903
	188,538	354,547	373,341	46,404	113,622	116,638
Dominican Republic	888	4,600	4,824	40,404	113,022	
Egypt  Ethiopie(*)	1,290	3,238	3,555	0	0	0
Ethiopia(*)						
France(*)	2,126	39,730	40,294	0	0	0
Germany(*)	7,220	61,848	66,549	6,675	55,679	60,071
Greece	4,948	30,028	32,414	2,268	4,293	4,326
India	1,440	8,145	8,195	405	6.005	0 6 1 <b>5</b> 6
Italy(*)	10,706	78,515	81,623	495	6,095	6,456
Latvia	421,080	888,860	888,871	0	0	0
Lithuania	6,725	33,864	35,691	122.650	0	102.066
Mexico	330,052	1,263,076	1,265,381	123,659	493,841	493,966
Moldova	1,923	4,093	4,727	0	705.250	0
New Zealand(*)	647,313	4,483,104	4,566,425	65,848	795,359	810,969 5,882

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Serbia	648	3,987	4,219	0	0	0
Spain	288	3,985	4,235	0	0	0
Taiwan	557,370	1,332,366	1,385,005	191,400	480,030	496,430
Turkey	915	4,081	4,468	0	0	0
Ukraine	19,381	44,605	49,009	18,058	38,851	42,736
Uruguay	94,499	321,736	334,995	19,012	74,964	78,464
Vietnam	2,033,601	4,837,802	5,091,303	262,118	647,179	680,424
COMB AND RETAIL HONEY –						
Albania	1,402	12,676	13,876	701	6,338	6,938
Argentina	5,956	36,447	39,940	0	0	0
Australia(*)	23,383	139,130	139,374	23,383	139,130	139,374
Austria	5,230	68,804	72,809	1,550	18,167	19,166
Brazil	4,379	34,615	35,919	0	0	0
Bulgaria	75,910	280,733	294,977	0	0	0
Canada	17,320	131,833	132,761	147	2,451	2,526
Chile	1,217	11,952	12,102	0	0	0
Egypt France(*)	1,200 79,588	3,300 877,390	3,434 920,602	0 23,079	0 245,598	257,976
Germany(*)	88,616	555,897	578,515	41,840	243,398	246,555
Greece	27,929	373,949	385,116	1,416	22,328	24,219
Guatemala	3,461	8,016	8,611	0	0	0
Hungary	23,741	164,040	175,140	1,934	20,819	21,269
India	134,946	460,311	478,005	0	0	0
Ireland	435	3,197	3,448	0	0	0
Israel(*)	814	9,886	9,901	0	0	0
Italy(*)	29,857	290,829	300,166	4,539	45,439	47,024
Jordan	7,929	16,324	18,111	0	0	0
Lebanon	4,950	57,420	58,737	0	0	0
Lithuania Macedonia	3,600	14,988	16,487	1.016	4 082	4 270
Mexico	1,016 18,426	4,083 60,562	4,270 61,468	1,016 2,518	4,083 18,792	4,270 18,992
Moldova	6,617	38,575	42,431	2,518	0	10,992
New Zealand(*)	201,909	1,511,258	1,530,726	1,322	22,057	26,387
Poland	21,888	59,686	62,893	2,295	2,848	3,103
Portugal	14,417	96,947	100,704	1,140	4,194	4,372
Romania	576	4,814	5,626	0	0	0
Russia	21,849	119,538	131,493	0	0	0
Serbia	9,480	76,080	79,515	2,322	15,001	15,898
Spain	61,756	425,885	446,131	2,238	17,200	18,303
Switzerland(*)	15,835	236,988	246,689	1,369	21,403	22,387
Taiwan	73,547	170,950	179,947	24,032	38,175	40,645
Turkey	57,576	367,284	379,732	0	2 008	2 209
Ukraine United Kingdom	15,096 142	52,210 2,242	57,431 2,268	872 142	2,998 2,242	3,298 2,268
Uzbekistan, Republic of	4,954	56,929	62,622	0	0	2,200
FLAVORED HONEY – Belgium-Luxembourg(*)	7,376	18,849	19,906	7,376	18,849	19,906
Canada	3,035	150,454	150,871	115	3,360	3,363
China	2,291	50,741	54,737	0	0	0,505
France(*)	8,739	304,543	307,563	0	0	0
Greece	404	4,562	4,954	0	0	0
India	21,738	44,572	46,372	0	0	0
Ireland	292	3,223	3,576	0	0	0
Italy(*)	3,379	62,238	63,570	345	8,607	8,785
Japan	90	13,283	13,383	0	0	0

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Korea, South	107,548	1,609,919	1,636,825	13,479	299,647	303,833
Mexico	23,528	259,189	262,020	0	0	0
Netherlands	17,394	87,464	92,759	0	0	0
Portugal	8,404	42,971	47,098	0	0	0
Spain	2,956	20,952	24,406	1,478	10,476	11,894
Taiwan	20,193	58,126	61,696	3,202	14,580	15,336
Thailand	44,635	200,697	206,859	15,595	70,237	71,935
United Arab Emirates	4,717	8,430	8,768	2,709	5,100	5,294
United Kingdom	260	4,649	4,655	0	0	0
ORGANIC HONEY –						
Argentina	36,259	128,723	131,849	36,259	128,723	131,849
Australia(*)	18,480	140,995	148,700	0	0	0
Brazil	5,786,191	22,024,649	22,816,384	1,322,130	5,297,130	5,469,221
Bulgaria	3,063	22,160	22,660	0	0	0
Canada	73,945	488,790	491,600	466	5,848	5,881
Dominican Republic	3,051	17,091	18,693	0	0	0
Greece	1,093	12,985	13,219	619	6,487	6,642
India	400	2,200	2,404	0	0	0
Italy(*)	23,896	268,298	274,849	1,270	15,199	16,182
Kuwait	4,421	27,851	28,250	0	0	0
Mexico	68,738	264,412	272,461	0	0	0
Vietnam	93,000	246,450	251,950	93,000	246,450	251,950
GRAND TOTAL	81,179,855	280,708,630	290,680,733	17,401,799	61,121,530	63,189,848

#### Notes:

- 1. Data Source: Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, Foreign Trade Statistics
- 2. All zeroes for a data item may show that statistics exist in the other import type. Consumption or General.
- 3. (\*) denotes a country that is a summarization of its component countries.
- 4. Users should use cautious interpretation on QUANTITY reports using mixed units of measure. QUANTITY line items will only include statistics on the units of measure that are equal to, or are able to be converted to, the assigned unit of measure of the grouped commodities.
- 5. The CIF Value is not included within the 13th month data loads. This means that the CIF Value will be zero (0) for any records that are inserted during this process.
- 6. Product Group: Harmonized